



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re: U.S. Patent Application of
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Application No. 10/532,669) Examiner: Ahmed Elhassan
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For: A COMPOSITE SPECTRAL) Art Unit: 4138
MEASUREMENT METHOD AND ITS)
SPECTRAL DETECTION INSTRUMENT) Atty Docket No.: 077197-0016

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED SEPTEMBER 14, 2009

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
Commissioner For Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This Reply is in response to the Office Action mailed September 14, 2009. This Reply is being submitted within the three month shortened statutory time period. Reconsideration of the referenced application, including all pending claims, is respectfully requested in light of the amendments and the remarks set forth below. In view of the Amendments and Remarks herein, Applicants believe the present application is in condition for allowance and respectfully request early notice of same.

This Reply is being submitted in a form which complies with revised 37 C.F.R. 1.121. Accordingly, all pending claims are identified by number and appropriate status identifier.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

A reproduction of the pending Claims begin on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.